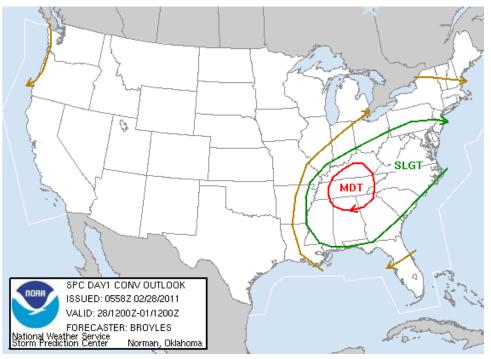


National Weather Service Tallahassee, Florida



In this update:

- Isolated Severe Storms Possible late Monday afternoon into Monday Night
- Slight risk area expanded slightly southeast.

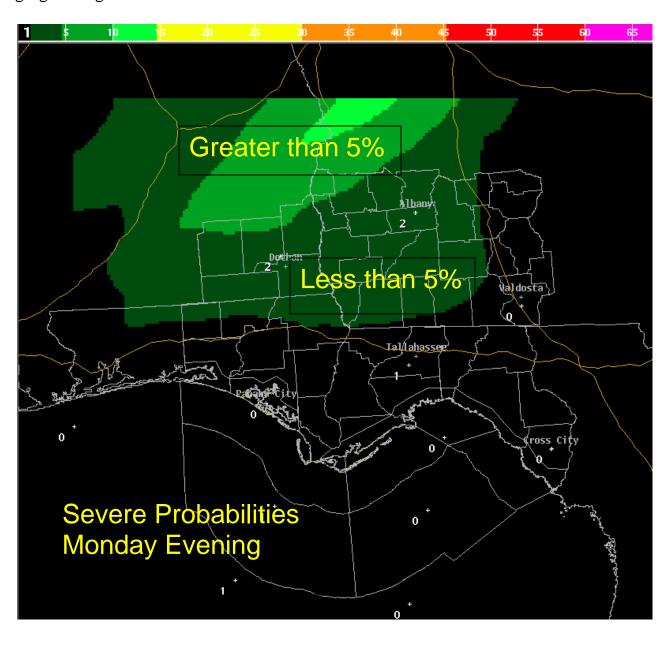


A storm system over the Mississippi and Ohio River Valleys this morning will move east to the Mid Atlantic States today with the trailing cold front sweeping across the Southeast this afternoon and tonight. As this system moves east, warm moist air from the Gulf of Mexico will continue to surge northward and increase the potential for thunderstorms ahead of the front. The wind shear and instability ahead of the system will be more than sufficient to maintain the ongoing severe weather to our northwest.

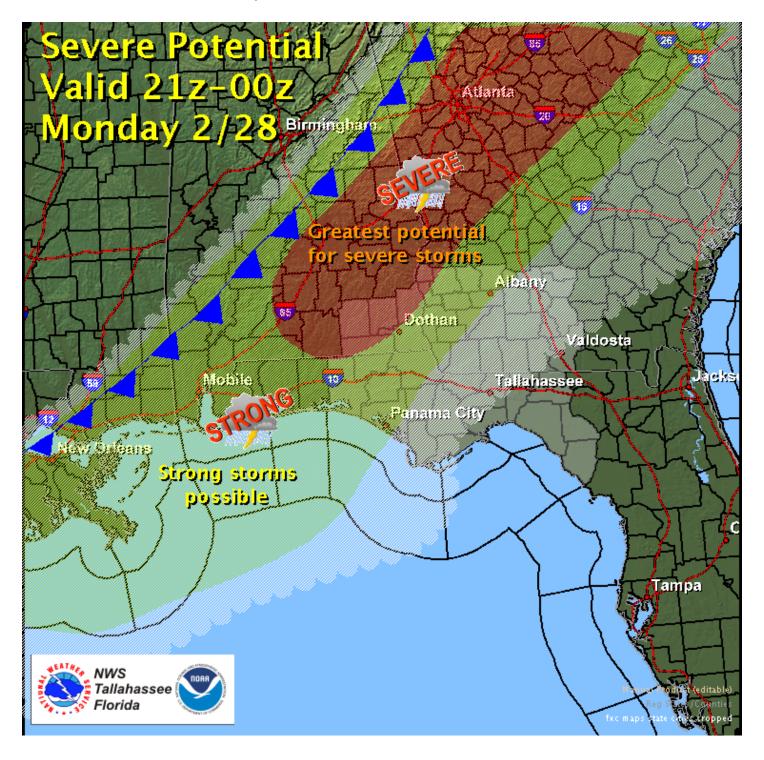
However, the overall severe weather threat will be decreasing as the system approaches our forecast area later today as the strongest wind fields will be lifting northeast of the area. Nevertheless, the potential for severe weather with this system is greater than for the one that impacted the area on Thursday Night. The Storm Prediction Center has placed all of Southeast Alabama and Southwest Georgia, as well as portions of the Florida Panhandle along and north of I-10, under a slight risk for severe weather.

Event Description:

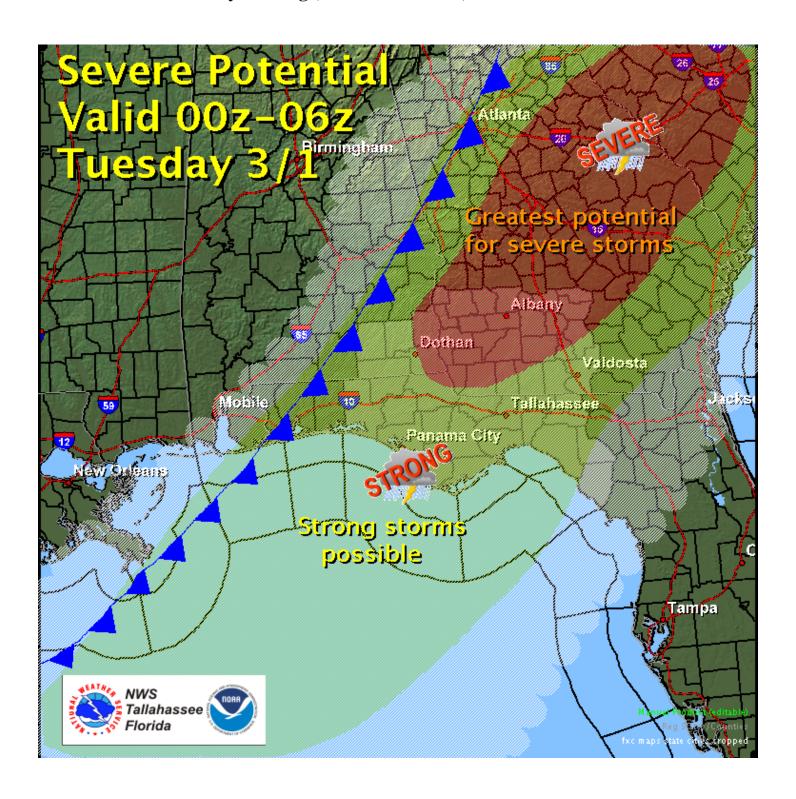
Thunderstorms are expected to begin moving into Southeast Alabama and the western Florida Panhandle late this afternoon into early evening. The storms will then progress east into Southwest Georgia and the eastern Panhandle later this evening before crossing South Central Georgia and the Florida Big Bend overnight. As can be seen in our locally-derived probabilities for this event, the overall severe weather threat is on the lower end of what we would expect for a Slight Risk outlook. For any severe storms that do develop, the primary threat will be damaging wind gusts.



Severe Potential Late Monday Afternoon (3-6 PM CST)



Severe Potential Monday Evening (7PM -12 AM EST)



Summary:

- There is an isolated threat of severe weather from late Monday afternoon through around midnight, primarily for Southeast Alabama, Southwest Georgia, and inland portions of the Florida Panhandle.
- The overall severe potential is on the lower end of what is typically associated with a slight risk period
- The main threat from any severe storms will be damaging winds.
- The storms are expected to weaken with time early Tuesday morning as they move east across South Central Georgia and the Florida Big Bend.

The National Weather Service in Tallahassee will continue to monitor this system closely today. If you have any questions, please give our office a call at 850-942-8833 or on our toll free line at 800-598-4562 and ask to speak to a meteorologist. We are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. You can also reach us on our Southern Linc phone at 1*77*184.